



Town of East Hartford Transfer Station and Curbside Bulky Waste Pickup Information for Residents

Location:

141 Ecology Drive
East Hartford, CT 06108

Contact Information:

Phone: 860 291-7337
Visit: Public Works Administration – 61 Ecology Drive
www.easthartfordct.gov

Hours of Operation:

Monday, Tuesday and Friday
Open 7:15am to 11:55am
Lunch Break 12:00pm to 12:30pm
Open 12:30pm to 2:45pm

First and Third Saturday of every month
8:00am to 1:45pm

Who needs a permit?

- East Hartford residents who want to use the Town transfer station on Ecology Drive.
- East Hartford residents who want to have bulky waste picked up at the curb.

Who is eligible for a permit?

- East Hartford residents, owners or occupants on properties containing six or fewer dwelling units may obtain a permit to use the transfer station and make appointments for curbside bulky waste pickup. (Generally, these are residents who currently receive trash pickup and recycling service from the Town.)
- Residents who reside on properties containing seven or more dwelling units may obtain a permit to use the transfer station only. For multiple unit dwellings, all units within a dwelling must be permitted upon issuance of the first unit permit to an owner.
- A residential non-owner occupant may obtain a permit for their individual unit.

What is the permit period?

Permits must be purchased annually and are valid from July 1 through June 30.

What is the cost?

The permit fee is \$15 for residents over 65 years old and \$35 for all others and may be paid using cash, check, money order, Visa, MasterCard or Discover. When renewing by mail, payment may be made by check only. Proof of residency or ownership of residential property in East Hartford (driver's license, copy of tax bill) is required at the time of purchase. Proof of age should be provided if applying for the senior discount.

How do I access the transfer station?

Tickets will be required for entry into the transfer station. One book of five tickets will be provided upon issuance of a bulky waste permit and may be used at any time during the permit term. Additional books of

tickets may be purchased for \$30 each. Access to the Transfer Station will be based on the fee schedule posted at the transfer station.

What types of vehicles will be admitted to the transfer station?

Residents and non-resident property owners may access the transfer station with four-wheeled passenger cars or trucks with a carrying capacity of 2,000 pounds or less and carrying a non-commercial registration. Rental vehicles will be admitted with a valid residential permit if the vehicle is under 2,000 pounds. Commercial vehicles will not be allowed into the transfer station.

Will trailers be allowed into the transfer station?

Yes, as long as a permitted vehicle tows them and the appropriate number of tickets are surrendered.

What items can be disposed of without a permit?

Recyclable items, including leaves for composting, waste oil, electronics, single stream recyclables, scrap metal, mattresses and textiles will be accepted at the transfer station without a permit. A drivers' license or other photo ID will be required as proof of residency.

How do I arrange for curbside bulky waste pickup?

If you hold a valid permit and are eligible for curbside service, make an appointment a minimum of one week in advance by calling 860 291-7337 Monday through Friday, between 7:30 AM and 3:00 PM, holidays excluded. A maximum of six items will be picked up at the curb.

Curbside Pickup Acceptable Items:

- Furniture (mattresses, couches, chairs, dressers, etc.)
- Rugs (cut into 4' segments and tied or taped)
- Appliances (sinks, dishwashers, refrigerators with doors removed, etc.)
- Bicycles
- Gas grills without propane tank
- Brush (Maximum 1" in diameter, 3 ft. lengths tied in bundles –6 bundles maximum)

Curbside Pickup Unacceptable Items:

- Recyclables and household rubbish
- Building/demolition debris (shingles, dry wall, lumber, trees, stumps, etc.)
- Items in bags and cardboard boxes
- Propane tanks
- Car parts (including tires and batteries)
- Lawn mowers, snow blowers, tractors
- Hazardous waste (oil based paint, gasoline, oil, antifreeze, fuel oil, pesticides and herbicides)
- Outside items (swimming pools, doghouses, sheds, swing sets, fencing, etc.)
- Electronics (televisions, computers, monitors, printers, cell phones, etc.)

Where can I get further information?

You can call 860 291 7337, visit the Public Works Administration Office at 61 Ecology Drive Monday through Friday between 7:30 am and 2:50 pm, visit the Town's website at www.easthartfordct.gov, or visit the transfer station during normal hours (see above).